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SUBJECT:FOREIGN BUYER PROGRAM: ROC HOTEL EXECUTIVES GROUP

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1. REGRET THAT NEITHER STATE (EB) NOR COMMERCE (FBP) HAVE FUNDS AVAILABLE WITH WHICH TO FUND PER DIEM OF ESCORT OFFICER TO ACCOMPANY SUBJECT NON-FBP-DESIGNATED GROUP.
2. POST SHOULD BE AWARE THAT COMMERCE MUST NOW IMPOSE A COST RECOVERY USER FEE OF 3,000 DOLLARS TO SHOW SPONSORS/ PRODUCERS WHO ARE REPEAT PARTICIPANTS IN FBP. IN VIEW OF REQUIREMENT TO LEVY THIS CHARGE, COMMERCE (FBP) BELIEVES IT WOULD BE INAPPROPRIATE TO USE SCARCE TRAVEL FUNDS IN SUPPORT OF NON-FBP SHOWS WHERE NO USER FEE HAS BEEN PAID. GENERAL POLICY IN STATE (EB) IS CONSISTENT WITH THAT OF COMMERCE IN UNCLASSIFIED

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THAT FUNDS ARE NOT AVAILABLE FOR NON-FBP DESIGNATED SHOWS.

3. PROMOTION/SUPPORT OF NON-FBP SHOWS ALSO POSES PROBLEMS IN ADDITION TO THAT OF USER FEE REQUIREMENT. IN VIEW OF THE LARGE NUMBER OF SHOWS WHICH ARE EXCLUDED FROM FBP PROGRAM, REFLECTING STRICT SELECTION CRITERIA,

COMMERCE CANNOT ASSURE ADEQUATE LOGISTICAL SUPPORT FOR VISITORS TO NON-DESIGNATED SHOWS. SUCH VISITORS RUN RISK OF DISAPPOINTMENT SINCE MORE MAY BE EXPECTED IN WAY OF SUPPORT THAN CAN BE DELIVERED ON BASIS OF LIMITED FBP RESOURCES.

4. DESPITE INABILITY TO FUND PER DIEM, COPY OF REFTEL HAS BEEN SENT TO APPROPRIATE COMMERCE DISTRICT OFFICES FOR POSSIBLE ASSISTANCE WITH BUSINESS APPOINTMENTS FOR SUBJECT GROUP.

5. FOREIGN BUYER PROGRAM STAFF WOULD BE PLEASED TO MEET WITH GROUP MAY 26. PLEASE ADVISE. VANCE

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